

July 2nd, 2013

I spoke with EPA's Dierdra Rothery this morning regarding our boiler GHG PSD permit. She stated that DJ Law is the permitting engineer and he is working on FMC's comments that came in, other permits and ours. They hoped to have ours completed in September. This still meets our permit in hand by November 1 target.

A 30 day public comment period is required. This is a notice in the paper alerting the public to a ability to comment on the permit. I asked if she thought it would be beneficial to have a public meeting for comments at the same time the public comment period is occurring. Public hearings are only required if there are enough comments to warrant a hearing. She thought it was a good to have the meeting as it gives them a time to meet with the companies and learn more about their process. I offered a tour of our facility including what we plan to do with the boiler and our gob vent borehole system.

We will call the EPA next week to further discuss our permit.

Jim Phillip